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1. APPRECIATE DESIRABILITY CENTRAL AMERICANS DECIDING LOCALE OF
MEETING BUT FOR POLITICAL REASONS VISIT OF HIGH-LEVEL U.S.
OFFICIAL TO GUATEMALA WOULD NOT BE APPROPRIATE AT THIS TIME.

2. MANY KEY MINISTERS ABSENT; HOWEVER GIVEN PREVIOUS
ATTITUDE REGARDING PROPOSED VISIT OF AMBASSADOR
MALMGREN WE ASSUME GOG WILL RESPOND FAVORABLY TO
GON INVITATION. BASIC PROBLEM WE FORESEE IS
AVAILABILITY OF APPROPRIATE MINISTERS SINCE
FOREIGN MINISTER MAY WISH TO PARTICIPATE IN
CLOSING SESSIONS OAS-ATLANTA WHICH WE UNDERSTAND SCHEDULED FOR
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APRIL 30 OR MAY 1, AND MINISTER OF ECONOMY HAS INDICATED THAT

TIMING WOULD CAUSE SOME PROBLEMS SINCE HE AND HIS TOP OFFICIALS
WILL BE OCCUPIED PREPARING FOR TRANSFER OF
MINISTRY TO NEW GOVERNMENT.

3. SIECA CLOSED FOR EASTER WEEK. ATTEMPTING
CONTACT SECGENERAL TO ASCERTAIN SIECA INTEREST AND
AVAILABILITY. WILL REPORT.

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